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Here begynneth the Proprytees and  
medycynes for hors









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**T**here endyth the contentys of this present treatyse. And begynneth this sayd treatyse.

**T**he best hors of all countrees.

**T**here is no courser vnto poyle.  
 Nor no folower vnto almayne.  
 Nor no palfrey vnto Englonde  
 Nor no geldynge vnto scotland  
 Nor no hoby vnto Irlonde. nor  
 no rynnner vnto calabre. Nor no  
 charet hors vnto flaunders. Nor no hakeney vnto  
 brytayne. Nor no Fenet vnto spayne.

**T**he .xv. propriytes of a gode hors. ii.  
 There longeth to a gode hors .xv. maner pppty-  
 tees that is to saye. thre of a man thre of a wo-  
 man thre of an hore thre of a fore & thre of an  
 asse. **T**he fyrst thre of a man is to be proude.



bothe & hardy. ¶ The .iii. of a woman is to haue  
a fayre breste. and a fayre trailet & eaſy too lepe  
vpon. ¶ The thre of an hare is to haue a lene he-  
de / grete eyen / and therwith well rennyng.

¶ The thre of a fox is to haue a fayre tayll & ſhort  
eres / & therwith a grete trot. ¶ The thre of an  
aſſe is to haue a bygge chynne / a fiat legge. And  
therwith a gode houſſe.

¶ A white hors bp the hyll / a blacke hors dow-  
ne the hyll / a grey hors in a grauell waye. and a  
bayne baye is beſt at all aſſaye.

¶ To cheſe euery hors by his coloure. .iii.

¶ The beſt coulour of any hors is a blacke bay w<sup>th</sup>  
a gilt mouth & vnder þ flankes & þ ſalne colour  
vp to the nauyll / And that his lyps be full of ry-  
uels. For that is a ſygne he ſhall be a fyers hors

¶ For to knowe the bewte of his hors / loke that  
he haue a whyte in þ forehede & a whyte fether  
on the noſe / or a whyte fote behynde & a lypyll le-  
ne hede ſhort eres open noſethrylles & gret eye  
and a brode forehede / longe at the reyne / a thur-  
maan. Brode breſted & ſyde brauned / lene kne-  
es & a brode thyn legge gret ſynewes ſhort pal-  
tron ſyde rybbed & a brode hollow doue fote ſhor-  
te loyned & a longe ſkete & ſmall ſtones in hys  
codde. And þ he ſtonde vpryght on all four fete  
one ayenſte another. And thye ben the beſt pro-  
pytees that any hors maye haue.

¶ A ladde ſorelde hors. .iiii.  
A ladde ſoreled hors is beſt next yf þ he haue a



whyte mane & a whyte tayll / & a walle eye on þ  
ferder syde. And þ he be of fetures of þ fyrst hoz  
se. And that he haue a blacke houff and then he  
muste be good by all maner reason

¶ A dapple grey hozs

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A dapple grey hozs is best next and yf he haue  
fayr blacke dappullys on his lymmes & that he  
haue a thycke necke of heer / & a thynne tayll &  
that he haue on the one syde oz on bothe twyrry  
lys lyke crownes in the heer of the necke.

¶ A donne hozs with a blacke lyst. vi

A donne hozs w a blacke lyst is beste next & he  
haue a blacke mayle & a blacke taylle thycke of  
heer & a thynne maan & rough ballockes wyth  
the propriytes of the fyrst hozs.

¶ A whyte hozs

bii

A whyte hozs is best next & he wyll lyue lengest  
But he is tender of fleshe & daügerous to kepe  
therfore he must be cheryshed thereafter & clene  
kept w the propriytes of the fyrst hozs for he is  
trewe in his laboure

¶ A mous donne hozs.

biii

A mous donne hozs is best next and yf he haue  
a mele mouthe & rough ballocks & he haue a thyn  
ne mane with the propriytes of the fyrst

¶ A blacke hozs.

.ix.

A blacke hozs is best next & he bere a whyt mar  
ke on his hede oz a whyte fether on the nose oz  
a whyte fote on the ferther syde behynde.

¶ A cole blacke hozs.

.x.



A cole blacke hoys that bereth no whyte is perpe-  
lous / for & he contynue longe w<sup>th</sup> ony man it is  
merueyll but he drowne hym oz hurte hym

¶ An yren grey hoys.

xi.

An yren grey hoys is nought at all assayes thou-  
ghe he be neuer so fayre. for he maye with no la-  
boure in no wyse

¶ To make a whyte marke on an hoys

xii

**T**Ake & brenne a tyle stone to pouder & ta-  
ke dayse rotes & the rotes of þ<sup>e</sup> whyt bre-  
te of eueryche a lyke moche. and drye hem & ma-  
ke powder therof / & then shaue þ<sup>e</sup> place that ye  
wyl haue whyte & rubbe it soze w<sup>th</sup> the powder &  
then washe the place w<sup>th</sup> the water that is made  
in this wyse as foloweth. take a quantyte of ho-  
ny soukle floures & a quantite of hony & the wa-  
ter that molles haue been soden in & washe the  
place & rubbe it soze therw<sup>th</sup> And do this thre da-  
yes & kepe hym frome wynde. and þ<sup>e</sup> place shall  
be whyte euer after (quod pbatuui est)

¶ To make a hoys he shall not neye

xiii

Take a wullen lyst & bynde it about þ<sup>e</sup> myddes  
of his tonge & he shall not nay as longe as it is a-  
bout his tonge.

¶ To make an olde hoys seme yonge.

xiiii.

Take a small rodde & make it croked the gret-  
nes of a barley corne & brenne an hole in þ<sup>e</sup> tothe  
ferdest in to þ<sup>e</sup> hede and take an alblade & graue  
awaye the shell of the same tothe. And then take



a laūcet and make a lytyll hole in the holow place aboute the eye. And than take a quyll & blow it full of wynde/and thenne lete it alone, for the skynne wyll close it selfe.

**¶** For to teche an hors to aumble. .xv.

Take and set on hym a sadyll & hange on eueri syde a bündell of long roddees that they may trayle on y<sup>e</sup> grounde. And take two small bagges & put in eche of them syr pound of sonde/ And tye them to his hyndre helys so y<sup>e</sup> they touche not the erthe. And then bryng your hors in a fayr cercle & dryue hym vp & down half a day as fast as ye may. And serue hym thus thre dayes and thenne sho hym befoze with lyght shone & heuy shone behynde/ And then make a shakell of two fote longe/ & therewith shakyll y<sup>e</sup> fore fete and y<sup>e</sup> hynder togyder bothe on one syde/ & lette not y<sup>e</sup> shakyll be take of the space of .xx. dayes. & then take & ryde hym where ye wyll. & he shall aumble better & surer than any hors of his own kynde

**¶** For to make a wyld hors tame. .xvi.

Set on hym a sadyll & a brydell/ & streyne y<sup>e</sup> reyne on the sadyll bowe/ And then take a dowblet & stuff it full of strawe/ & then fasten therto a payr of holyn & fyll them full of sonde/ & set a payr of spors on the helys/ & fast y<sup>e</sup> dowblet soze to the sadle & the hosen too the styropes/ & then lede thy hors in to a close felde & lete hym renne. & as he renneth y<sup>e</sup> spores wyll dallye hym in y<sup>e</sup> sydes. And so he wyll renne tyll he be euen.



wery that he wyll stānde styll. Then take hym  
& lede hym in to a stable and laye lytter ynoughe  
vnder hym and clothes ynough vpon hym. and  
then take a stone & smyte hym on the fete & kepe  
hym with lytyll mete. Thre dayes after then co  
me to hym & lyfte vp his fete & knocke on theym  
with a stone. And se þ he be well corpyed & wyped  
and he wyll be the moze tamer euer after thann  
ony horsse of hys owne kynde.

¶ For to make a horsse folowe his mayster xviij  
Take a pounce of otemele & a quarter of a pou  
de of hony & halfe a pounce of lunary & make a  
bagge therof and bere it aboute you next youre  
skynne and laboure therewith tyll ye swete and  
wype away the swete with the bagge. And kepe  
thy horsse fro mete a daye and a nyght afore and  
then gyue hym the sayd thre thynges to ete and  
lete hym lose and he wyll folowe the where euer  
thou goo. And geue hym thy fastynge spetyll &  
he wyll neuer after departe frome the.

¶ To know a colte how he shall preue xviiiij  
Take a lyne & mete hym frome þ lowest here of  
the houe of one of the forfete vp to the hiest Joy  
ynt of the marybone. And then take & mette hy  
frome that Joynt vp to the hiest place of the we  
therlande and loke howe moche the melure is  
hyer than the colte in þ place / so moche hyer wyl  
he be. But some horsz wyl be at his heygth at .iii  
yere olde / & some at four but euery horsz wyl be  
at the vtterast at .viij. yere. but this mesure wyl



neuer fayle for the costes legges shall neuer be  
lenger than the fyrst daye he is foled.

¶ For a horse that is reſte

.xix.

Take a whyppe corde foure folde & make a sha  
kyl & ſet it bitwene his coddres & his yerde and  
tye therto a ſmall corde & ſette on thy horse a ſa  
dyll and let þ corde come vnder thy hors belly to  
the ſadyll bowe. and then lete a chylde ryde hym  
forth with a payr of ſpores. and euer as he vseth  
his foule tatche plucke at þ corde & then he wyl  
ſterte forwarde. & then let the corde ſlyppe. and  
alway as he taketh his euyl tatche plucke atte  
the corde. And vſe hym with this thre or foure  
dayes and he wyl leue it for euer moze.

¶ For dulneſſe of the ſpore.

.xx.

Take and ſhaue hym þ brede of a ſancer on bo  
the ſydes there as ye wyl ſpore hym. Then ta  
ke a launcet & put hym thurgh þ ſkynne in. vi.  
or. vii. places the length of a whete corne & then  
take an haundeler & reyle vp þ ſkynne frome þ  
fleſhe & then put it full of brent ſalt. & this wyl  
make his ſydes to blede. And then kepe hym thus  
thre dayes frome rydynge. Then ſette on hym  
a chylde w a payre of ſpores & ſpore hym in þ  
ſame place. And then at nyght waſhe hym in þ  
ſame place with ſalt pyſſe & netles. I ſoden ther  
in & this ſhall greue hym ſo ſore that he wyl ne  
uer abyde ſpore after. Then take halfe a pynte  
of hony and anoynte the place therewith thre or  
foure tymes and that ſhall make hym hole.



**H**ere begynneth þe medycyns both gode & tru  
To hele all sores bothe olde and newe  
They haue ben wroughte by a man of pryce.  
With his owne hondes in this same wyse  
To whome a lord of greate renowne  
Gave the worlshyp and the crowne.  
And he hath bozne it bothe est and west.  
As of that science moost ableste.  
And therfore all tho that thys wyll werke.  
Be he prest or be he clerke.  
Let hym take it for no fable  
For it wyll hele all that is curable.  
For they haue ben proued for certayne sothe.  
Therfore to teche hym he was ryght lothe.  
But whan he laye in grete mournynge.  
Out of his herte he gaaf in wrytynge.  
For whome ye shall bothe bydde & pray  
To saue his soule he that best may.  
Of hym fyrst thys boke dyd make  
God saue hym frome the fendes blake  
And brynge hym to that hygh see.  
There god is in his maieste.  
And vs to se that same lyght.  
That graunte vs full of myght.

A good medecyne for the retrete



**A** Retrete is whan a hors is smyten in the  
quycke of the fote and makyth a hors to  
halte. Then take therfore an honde full of rede  
nettylles & bruse them in a mortar & put therto  
a sponesfull of rede vyneger & a sponesfull of blac  
ke sope. & .ii. sponesfull of bores grece. or ellys sal  
te bacon / & brey all thysse togyder & make salve  
therof. & stoppe well y<sup>e</sup> soze theru yth / & it shall  
neuer rotte ferder though he be labored forth w<sup>th</sup>  
for this wyll make hym hole

**¶** For a grauelynge

xxiii

For a grauelynge Take & kytte the houe tyll ye  
may fynde the soze / & then take an vnce of byr  
gyne waxe & a quarteron of an vnce of rosyn & a  
quarteron of an vnce of dere suet & halfe an vnce  
of bores greys & an hede synigrene / & bray thez  
all in a mortar / & set it ouer y<sup>e</sup> fyre tyll it be mol  
ten & then lay this medycyne therto. & spare not  
to traueyle hym on it / for it shall hele hym.

**¶** For a taynt in the hele.

xxiiii

For a taynt on the hele that comyth whan that  
an hors ouer recheth hys selfe & smyteth y<sup>e</sup> soze fo  
te w<sup>th</sup> the hynder fote & that makyth hym to halt  
Then take therfore a small corde & bynde hym  
frome the knee to y<sup>e</sup> nexte Joynt byneth streyte  
And then in the pastron bytwene the houe & the  
Joynt there is on eyther syde a seme y<sup>e</sup> comyth  
out of y<sup>e</sup> myddyll of y<sup>e</sup> houe there ben two valeys  
And take a flume & smyte in too bothe helys as  
ferte as it wyll go / & let out the matter. Thenne

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take the whyte of an egge & a lytyll flaxe & salt  
& make a playster & lay it to þ sore And he shall  
be hole.

¶ For the ryngbone

xxv

For the ryngbone that goth aboue the houe ta/  
ke therfore a launcette & where þ he is hygheste  
kyt the skynne a lytyll. And take a grete onyon  
& kyt out þ core and put in a sponesfull of vnilec  
ked lyme & four peny weyght of bertgreys and  
put all these in to the onyon & couer the hole and  
rosse it in hote emers tyll the onyon were soft &  
then bray all these togyder & lay it all hote vnto  
the sore & sewe a clothe about it but not to streyt  
And serue hym thus. iiii. tymes and he shall be  
hole.

¶ For a strepte houe.

xxvi.

For a strepte houe take halfe a poude of þ swer/  
des of bacon & a quarter of a pcunde of whyte  
sope & a hondfull of bawme & a hondfull of bay  
leues & four or fyue braunches of rewe & stampe  
theym well & fry them And laye them to þ sore  
as hote as ye maye & kepe it dry And thenne it  
wyl be hole

¶ For a lose houe

xxvii

For a lose houe take thre sponesfull of ter and a  
quarter of a poude of ros yn & an hondfull of tan  
sey & halfe a hondfull of rewe and halfe a hon  
de full of myntes and halfe an honde full of so/  
thernwode & bray all thyle togyders and putte  
thereto halfe a poude of butter & a peny weyght.



of byrgyne were & fry them all togyder & make  
a thycke playster vpon a linnen cloth and laye  
this to the houe. vii. dayes And then it wyl fall  
ten ageyne.

**¶** For a stounde in the pastron. xxviii  
For a stoude in þe pastron whan a hors stomblith  
oz falleth of slydyth oz sodenly setseth his fote  
in a hole þ his fote be weyght therwith & that  
stonyeth hym in þe pastron Take therfore a quar  
te of bryne & seth it tyll the some aryle & then  
streyn it & put therto an hondfull of tanscy &  
an hondfull of malowes & a saucerfull of hony  
a quarter of a poude of shepes talowe & medle  
them all rogyder & sette them on the fyre tyll þ  
herbes be well soden And then hote lay it to the  
Joynt and sowe ther ouer a clothe And he shall  
be hole within thre dayes & thre nyghtes.

**¶** For the serowe xxix.  
For the serowe in the legge þis in a maner of a  
grystyll þ is as grete as an almōde & it growith  
on the fore legge on þ insyde & in the myddyll of  
the leggc. Take thereore an onyon & pyke oute  
the core & put therein a sponesfull of hony and a  
quarter of a poude of vnlicked lyne & thre pe  
ny weyght of vertgreys And roste the onyon &  
bray it & lay it to all hote But kyt not the skynne  
and þis wyl make hym hole.

**¶** For the wyndgall. xxx.  
For the wyndgall Take a launcet & see where



it is hyghest/and prycke it in þ length of a bene  
But beware of the synewes. & there wyll come  
in maner as it were the whyte of an egge Then  
take the yolke of an egge & oyle de bay/ & then  
take a lytell flaxe & wete it therin And laye it to  
the soze & this shall make hym hole within thre  
dayes.

¶ For the splynt.

xxxi.

for the splynt that groweth vnder the kne. take  
therfore an onyon & pyke out the coze and put  
therin a sponesfull of vnlecked lyme & four peni  
weyght of vertgrece/ & halfe a poude of laun/  
dre lede/ and rost the onyon tyll it be soft & then  
kytte the skynne a lytyll that the medycyne may  
entre to frete the maladye out/ But let the here  
stonde styll. But let your medycyne lye styll two  
dayes & two nyghtes. and he shall be hole for  
euer.

¶ For the malaunder.

xxxi.

for the malaundyr that is afore in þ forlegge.  
behynde in the bendynge of the knee/ take ther  
fore a barreld herynge with a softe rough & two  
sponesfull of blacke sope/ & half an vnce of aluz  
& bray all thys togyder/ And lay all thys to þ  
soze thre dayes & he shall be hole.

¶ For all maner of grutche

.xxxi.

for all maner of grutche in the legges that co/  
myth of a grete hete & the blode falleth down in  
to the legges/ And therfore ye must seere hys an  
hondfull about the knee. And then rope hym al



about the legges w<sup>th</sup> hey that is wete in cold wa-  
ter and let it lye therto all a daye & a nyght and  
he shall be hole.

**A** molet in the hele xxxiii  
for a molet on the hele. Take a pynt of hony &  
a quarter of a poude of sope & four oz. v spones  
full of byneger & asmoche alum as an egge &  
two sponesfull of bene flour. And nicdle all thise  
togyder and laye it to the soze as ferre as y<sup>e</sup> mo-  
let goth. And let it lye therto. v. dayes & thenne  
take it away. and then wasshe his legges w<sup>th</sup> the  
broth of salte beyf and rope hym all dayes and  
he shall be hole.

**A** stonyng in the shulder xxxv.  
For a stonyng take a launcet & prycke thughe  
the skynne befoze y<sup>e</sup> shulder bytwene y<sup>e</sup> spawde  
& the mary bone the length of a bene and then  
take a quyll & put bytwene y<sup>e</sup> skynne & y<sup>e</sup> flesshe  
& blowe with y<sup>oure</sup> mouthe y<sup>e</sup> the skynne maye  
aryse frome the flesshe and then thrusse out the  
wynde ayen and then take a potell of stale pyss  
& leth it to a quarte and then streyne it and put  
it thurgh halfe a poude of butter & halfe a pou-  
de of swynes grece & half a hondfull of malow  
and a hondfull of tansey and a hondfull of ver-  
ueyn & a hondfull of rede nettles and a honde-  
full of sothernwode and a hondfull of baunie-  
leups. and let all thys be brayd and leth them  
in the bryn tyll y<sup>e</sup> herbes be soft. And then anoyn-  
te the poynt of the shulder afoze ther w<sup>th</sup> the moū



tenaunce of an hondbrede euery day ones tyll it  
be hole. But the hors must reste hym. and le t h<sup>y</sup>  
not go out of the stable.

¶ The farcyon

.xxxvi

The farcyon that comyth out of grete habun/  
daunce of blode. And therfore ye must let h<sup>y</sup> blo/  
de in y<sup>e</sup> necke a honde bred frome y<sup>e</sup> hede on both  
sydes. ¶ Therne take a galon of fayr water & put  
therto a hondfull of salt & thre hondfull of ma/  
lowes & two of rewe & a poude of hempsede and  
bruse them in a morter. & leth them togyder tyl  
halfe be wasted. And geue it hym to drynke &  
then he shall be hole.

¶ The paynes.

.xxxvii.

The paynes grow on the heles & causeth the he  
les to matter. Take therfore a pynt of rede wy/  
ne lees & a hondfull of whete branne. and foure  
hedes of symgrene. a saucer full of hony. & half  
a poude of brende powderd beyf. & as moche ba  
kers dust. & half a ponde of alum & a quarter  
of a poude of swynes gres and half a hondfull  
of verueyn and braye them all togyders & frye  
them and make a playster therof and lay to the  
hors as hote as he may suffre it. And so let it lie  
thre dayes & he shall be hole. But oz the medyc<sup>e</sup>  
be layd to he must be sered an hond brede aboue  
the kne. And thenne take a sponne full of tarre &  
nother of butter another of hony & warme them  
all on the fyre & anoynt the sered place therw<sup>th</sup>  
euery day thus tyll the salue be spent. And then



he shall be hole for euer.

**¶ For the spauen.**

xxxviii

For the spauen y groweth on the hynder legges on y inner syde a lytyll byneth the kne the gret nes of halfe an egge. & therfore lere hym about the kne & byneth the kne & kyt awaye the bayne bytwene bothe serpynges. And then loke where the hyghest place of the spauen is & perce y skynne w a launcet the length of a date Then take a small chesyl the brede of a peny & stryke therein the quantyte of an almonde & no more. Then take two peny weyght of vertgrees & another of neruall & braye them small & put it into the spauen And this wyl scoure it cleane by the grounde in thre dayes And washe out y sores in barke water oz elles w byneger & laye no more cosyly therto then take colman oz dyacloin vppon a linnen cloth & lay it to the spauen euery day a newe playster Duryng. vii. dayes and then ryde hym where thou wylte. for this wyl make hym hole.

**¶ For the curbe.**

xxxix.

The curbe is behynde on the knee on y hynder legge. Take therfore an yron & make it rede hote & helde it ayenst the soze as nygh as ye maye But touche not the soze in no wyse And whan it is warme then take a slemme & wete hym. vi. oz seuen places full of naruyll Then take a sponne full of salte & a peny weyghte of vertgreys and the whyte of an egge and put all thyle togyder



And take a lytyll flax and wete it therin & lay it  
to the soze & this wyll make hym hole

¶ The selander.

.xl.

The selandyr is in crokyng of the sho houe be/  
hynde euen ayenst the ioynt in a maner as it wer  
thre strykes And it is stubbed take therfore a pe  
ny weyght of vertgreys & a sponne full of blacke  
sope & the soft rough of a barreld heryng & bray  
them all togyder and lay hem to the soze. iiii. da  
yes and he wyll be hole.

¶ The hurtynge in the styfle

The hurtynge in the styfell y cometh of slydyng  
or spryngynge of the ioynt and therfore he mul  
te rest. xx. dayes and then take and perce hym a  
yenst the ioynte. Then take a pen and blowe bp  
the skynne frome the fleshe Thenne thrust out  
the wynde agayne. Then take a pottell of stale  
pylse and seyth it to a quarte & streyne it. Then  
take an hondfull of malowes and halfe a pynte  
of oyle olyfe and halfe a pynte of hony & boyle  
them togyder. And bathe hym well about the io  
ynt euery day ones durynge. vii. days. And let  
hym drynke in the stable whyles the medycyne  
werketh vpon hym. And styre hym not hastelye  
for hurtynge & this shall make hym hole.

¶ The hawyn in the eye.

xlvi

The hawyn in the eye is a slyme y groweth afo/  
re y eye syght take therfore a nedyll & a threde  
& put it vnder the haw and draw it out by the ro  
tes & then spout ale in thye & he shall be hole.



**F**or the werte in the eye.

.xlii.

The werte in the eye bredyth in a derke stable and causyth a thyng to brede ouer his eye lyke a creme and that makyth hym purblynde take therfore brent alum & as moche whyte coperoſe and grynde them togyder & put it in a quyll & blowe it in the eye. And kepe hym out of derkenesse and he shall be hole

**F**or the perle in the eye

.xliii.

For the perle in the eye take .vi. leues of gounde yue & a braunche of ſelondyne & bray theym & then medle them with womans mylke & then ſtreyn it fayre & put half a ſpone full therof in the eye at nyght. and ſerue hym thus .iiij. tymes & kepe hym fro lyght & he shall be hole

**F**or the canker in the eye.

.xlv.

The canker in the eye cometh of a wylde blood that falleth out of the hede in to the eye. & there it wexeth quicke take therfore a lytyll alum & brenne it & as moch grene coperoſe & bake hem both togyder vpon a ſtone & make powder therof and put therto a lytyll hony & rubbe well the ſore ther w tyll it blede. And ſerue hym ſo ſeven days & he shall be hole.

**F**or gygges in the cheke.

.xlvi.

The gygges in the cheke is a maladye in þ hoꝝ mouth ayenſt the grete tethe and they be as grete as it were nottes And they let hym to ete alwaye for whan he wolde ete they fall downe by twene his tethe. And for the ſoreneſſe of theym



he may not ete. Therfore take out his tonge by  
pon one syde of hys mouth & then take a launcet  
& slyt the gygges. and then ye may take the out  
as it were cornes but pyke them out cleene. then  
take þ yolke of an egge & as moche salt as wyll  
couer it hard as it were leuen. And make therof  
two balles & putte one in euery cheke & let hym  
alone and he shall be hole.

¶ For the lampas.

xlvi.

The lampas is a maladye þ groweth as it were  
an almonde in the palet of þ mouth euen by his  
forhede & it letteth hym to ete. Take therfore a  
launcet & let hym blode on eyther syde þ seme in  
the mouth a lytyll within the lampas & smyte  
softely þ the hole passe not the depnes of a barley  
corn And then take an yren & make it croked &  
red hote & as thyn as a knyues blade & put it w  
in þ lampas & drawe it out & then anoynt it w  
freshe butter and it shall be hole.

¶ For the barbyllis

xlvi.

The barbyllis is a maladye vnder þ tonge lyke  
two tetys & it letteth hym to drynke take therfore  
a payr of sheres & clyp hym as nygh þ tonge as  
ye may & then rubbe it w salt And so let it alo  
ne for he wyll hele it hymselfe

¶ For the camery

xlix.

The camery is a sakenes that comyth of etynge  
of moyste heye þ cattles haue pyssed on & other  
bermyng & causyth his mouth to wepe all gleymi



And he wyll not ete/ Then take & lete hym blo  
de on the two grete beyues vnder the tonge the  
depnes of a barley corne/ & then washe his mow  
the w<sup>th</sup> byneger & salte on his tonge & then gete  
hym newe brede þ is not hote & gyue it to hym  
to ete & it wyll make hym hole

**I** For the cordys.

**I.**

The cordis is a senew þ bredyth amonge þ sy  
newes. & the one ende cometh downe to þ shakil  
beyne & so bp through þ legge And it goth ouer  
the Inner syde of the kne & so ouer the shulder/  
& so a longe the necke by the wesaunt/ And it go  
the ouer þ temples vnder his eye downe ouer þ  
snowte bytwene bothe nose thrylles & þ grystles  
There kyt þ lengthe of an almonde & then take  
the tynde of an hartys horn that is croked & ma  
ke it sharpe & put it vnder þ corde soo fer as ye  
may twyne it about ten or twelue tymes and  
twyne it so streyte þ thou mayst lyfte bp his fote  
fro the grounde & then take & kyt the corde & he  
shall be hole.

**I** For the byues.

**ii.**

For the byues in the necke thou shalt in this wy  
se do. Take bp the skynne vnder the Jowe & þ  
necke & yf thou fele an harde thyng as it were  
kynnelles but they ben quicke & as an egge and  
then they be rype Thenne lay his here alonge  
bytwene the Jow & the necke And at þ lengest  
ende of his here kytte the skynne the lengthe of  
an almonde and pyke out the byues clene with



the tyndes of þ hertes hoꝛne. & then put the ho  
le full of salte. & at the thyrde dayes ende it wyll  
water. & then washe it well with a lytyll canne  
water oꝛ with the Juys of sage. And then take  
a sponetfull of hony & asmoche of butter and as  
moche of tarre & miedle them well togyder and  
euery day washe the same soꝛe with þ same wa  
ter and put therein the quantyte of a bene of the  
same salue. And within .v. dayes he shal be ho  
le of all the maladyes of the hede. For this is þ  
rote & begynnyng of all þ maladyes of þ hede.

¶ For the glaunders.

.lii.

The glaunders is a thyng that is fyrste lyke a  
grystyl & after groweth harde And it growyth  
euyn bytwene both Howe bones & vpon þ welāt  
& then it wyll growe vnto a botche. Then take  
therfoꝛe a lytyll pece of yren & make it croked þ  
length of a bene and hete it redde hote & put it  
thyngh the skyn on eyther syde of the welaunte  
And then the matter wyll come out Then washe  
hym vnder the Howe w canne water. And then  
he shall be hole.

¶ For the canker in the wederselaunt.

.liii.

The canker in the wederselaunt is whan a hoꝛs  
is wronge with the sadyll befoꝛe. And that bre  
dyth a canker. Then take a rasour & kytte away  
the dede fleshe. Thenne take a quarter of stale  
pyssle and put therto an hondetfull of salte & let  
it boyle well on the fyre and scoure well the soꝛe  
therewith euery weke ones. Thenne take the



